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Dr. Curt Stern,  
Editor,  
Genetics.

Dear Dr. Stern,

A manuscript: "Gene Recombination and linked segregations in *Escherichia coli*" is enclosed for publication in Genetics. I hope you will be able to read it.

A photograph is enclosed for Fig. 1. I hope that it has sufficient contrast to be printable. If in your judgment it has not, please omit it, and revise the manuscript accordingly. It was a difficult subject to photograph - a translucent white against a nearly opaque background. Fig. 2 (The maps) can, I think be set up in type.

In table 1, the comment on  $\phi$  might as well be a footnote; whatever you think. If you have any other recommendations, please let me know. I shall be at Woods Hole (MBL) during August; correspondence subsequently should be sent here unless I write you differently, and probably I will.

With many thanks,

Yours sincerely,

Joshua Lederberg.